



## Billy Louis Reece

April 22, 2015

Billy Louis Reece, 70, of Murray, Kentucky, formerly of Cape Girardeau, died Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau, Missouri. He was born September 24, 1944 in Jackson, MO to Howard and Velma Jauch Reece. He and Marilyn Cobb were married November 21, 1970 at Cape Girardeau, MO. Marilyn passed away in December 2014. Bill was a member of the one hundred first airborne during the Viet Nam war. He and his wife Marilyn owned and operated Reece Lumber Co. in Jackson, MO for several years. He was also a heavy equipment operator for much of his life, and in recent years had worked for Floyd's Equipment in Sikeston, MO. Bill loved fishing but the real joy of his life was his grandchildren. He was a member of Murray Kentucky FBC. Survivors include: Son - Jason [Karen] Reece, Jackson, MO Son - Josh Reece, Cape Girardeau, MO Brother - Howard [Saundra] Reece, Cape Girardeau, MO Sister - Evelyn [Gerald] Eaker, Jackson, MO Grandson - Robert Reece, Jackson, MO Grandson - Bronwyn Reece, Dallas, TX Grandson - Daegan Reece, Dallas, TX Grandson - Piper Reece, Dallas, TX He was preceded in death by: Wife: Marilyn Reece Brother - Jerry Reece Sister - Betty, and her husband Ivan McClain Father - Howard Reece Mother - Velma Jauch Reece Friends may call 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Sunday, April 26, 2015 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau. Memorial service will be at 10:00 AM Monday, April 27, 2015 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Donny Ford officiating. Interment will be at Cape County Memorial Park &

Mausoleum in Cape Girardeau. Memorial contributions may be given to American Cancer Society or American Heart Association.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Josh, Jason and Karen, I am very sorry about the recent loss of both Marilyn and Bill. Though I didn't know them long, I quickly grew to love them and I am very happy that God brought them into my life. You and your families are remembered in my prayers.  
Martha M. Parker

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**Martha M. Parker** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM